

DPD-7275-59
23 October 1959

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Concurrence in Amendment No. 3 to Contract No. BA-1832 with
Baird-Atomic, Inc., Cambridge, Mass., [redacted], Project
CHALICE

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1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for concurrence of the undersigned. Such recommendation is contained in Paragraph 5.

2. Contract No. BA-1832 provides for the services of technicians trained by the Contractor in the operation and maintenance of sextants at places within the ZI and overseas for Project CHALICE. Amendment No. 3 to the Contract has been drawn to cover estimated expenditures through 30 June 1960.

3. Additional FY 1960 CHALICE funds in the amount of \$7,000.00 should be obligated to cover the period 1 July 1959 - 30 June 1960. This brings the total for that period to \$30,781.00 or a new Contract total of \$80,781.00. A Program Approval will not be issued pursuant to the provisions of Memorandum DD/P-4-6866 dated 1 September 1959. By concurrence to this memorandum the Comptroller signifies that funds are available for this additional obligation.

4. Certification of funds for this contract will be handled under the procedure approved by the Director of Central Intelligence on 15 December 1956 which, in effect, results in all 8(b) expenses involving issuance of Treasury Checks being accumulated in a separate account within the Finance Division. The amounts in this account will be periodically scheduled for certification of the vouchers by the Director. This procedure eliminates the necessity for a separate certification of authority under Section 8(b) of Public Law 110, 81st Congress, (formerly 10(b) - see 85-507 dtd 7/7/58), for each contract.

5. Concurrence in Amendment No. 3 to Contract No. BA-1832 is recommended.

CONCURRENCES:

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